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U.S. DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

Oct 18, 2023

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

JUAN A. G.,

Plaintiff,

-vs-

KILOLO KIJAKAZI, Acting
Commissioner of Social Security,

Defendant.

No. 1:23-CV-3082-WFN

ORDER GRANTING
STIPULATED REMAND

Pending before the Court is the parties' Stipulated Motion for Remand. ECF No. 15. The Court has reviewed the file and Motion and is fully informed. Accordingly,

IT IS ORDERED that:

1. The parties' Stipulated Motion for Remand, filed October 16, 2023, **ECF No. 15**, is **GRANTED**.

2. Based on the parties' stipulation, the above-captioned case is **REVERSED** and **REMANDED** for further administrative proceedings under sentence four of 42 U.S.C. § 405(g). Upon remand, the Appeals Council shall instruct the administrative law judge to:

- (a) Reevaluate the medical opinion evidence;
- (b) Reassess Plaintiff's residual functional capacity as necessary;
- (c) Obtain supplemental vocational expert evidence if needed;
- (d) Take any action necessary to complete the administrative record;
- (e) Offer the claimant an opportunity for a hearing; and
- (f) Issue a new decision.

3. All other pending motions are **DENIED AS MOOT**.

4. Judgment shall be entered for **Plaintiff**.

5. Upon proper request, Plaintiff will be entitled to costs under 28 U.S.C. § 2412(a) and reasonable attorney fees and expenses under 28 U.S.C. § 2412(d).

The District Court Executive is directed to file this Order, enter judgment in favor of the Plaintiff, provide copies of this Order and the Judgment to counsel and **CLOSE THIS FILE.**

DATED this 18th day of October, 2023.

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WM. FREMMING NIELSEN
SENIOR UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

10-17-23